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RE: NOTICE OF RESPONSE TO FOIA REQUEST
FOIA FILE NO.: P461664

Dear Mr. Broz:

The Chicago Police Department (CPD) is in receipt of your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request in which you requested:

... all tactical response reports (TRRs) for the 1st of September 2018....

Your request was reviewed by the undersigned. In coordination with the Bureau of Technical Services Information Services Division and Clarity Partners, we are providing all TRRs created in September 2018. Please be advised that the Department has withheld certain information, as explained further below.

Section 7(1)(b) exempts from disclosure "[p]rivate information, unless disclosure is required by another provision of this Act, a State or federal law or a court order." 5 ILCS 140/7(1)(b). The FOIA, in 5 ILCS 140/2(c-5), defines "private information" as follows:

"Private information" means unique identifiers, including a person's social security number, driver's license number, employee identification number, biometric identifiers, personal financial information, passwords or other access codes, medical records, home or personal telephone numbers, and personal email addresses. Private information also includes home address and personal license plates, except as otherwise provided by law or when compiled without possibility of attribution to any person."

Therefore, names and addresses were properly withheld pursuant to Section 7(1)(b). Likewise, Department employee user codes and employee identification numbers are exempt and were properly withheld pursuant to Section 7(1)(b).

In addition, dates of births and internal record numbers were also withheld, as they are exempt from disclosure pursuant to 5 ILCS 140/7(1)(c) of FOIA. Section 7(1)(c) exempts from inspection and copying the following:

"[P]ersonal information contained within public records, the disclosure of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy... 'Unwarranted invasion of personal privacy' means the disclosure of information is that highly personal or objectionable to reasonable person and in which the subject's right to privacy outweighs any legitimate public interest in obtaining the information." *Id.*

If I can be of further assistance, please contact me at the following address:

Chicago Police Department
Attention: Freedom of Information

Office of Legal Affairs, Unit 114
3510 S. Michigan Avenue
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You have the right to have a denial reviewed by the Public Access Counselor (PAC) at the Office of the Illinois Attorney General, 500 S. Second St., Springfield, IL 62706, (877)299-3642. You also have the right to seek judicial review of your denial by filing a lawsuit in the Cook county Circuit Court under 5 ILCS 140/11.

Sincerely,

M. Acosta
Freedom of Information Act Officer
Department of Police